NASDAQ STOCK MARKET INC Form 8-K September 10, 2004

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 10, 2004 (September 7, 2004)

THE NASDAQ STOCK MARKET, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 000-32651 (Commission File Number) **52-1165937** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

One Liberty Plaza, New York, New York 10006 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (212) 401-8700

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(a) Not applicable.

(b) On September 7, 2004, Thomas M. Joyce tendered his resignation from the Board of Directors of The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. indicating that he was resigning in order to focus his time and energies on managing Knight Trading Group and building Knight's future.

(c) Not applicable.

(d) Not applicable.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: September 10, 2004

THE NASDAQ STOCK MARKET, INC.

By:

/s/ Edward S. Knight Edward S. Knight Executive Vice President and General Counsel

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